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December 28, 2004

ELIAS C. ALVORD (1942)

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Mr. Vernon A. Williams Secretary Surface Transportation Board Washington, D.C. 20423

Dear Mr. Williams:

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a) are two (2) copies of a Memorandum of Security Agreement, dated as of December 28, 2004, a primary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents.

The names and addresses of the parties to the enclosed document are:

Secured Party:

HSBC Bank USA, National Association

Commercial Banking Department

One HSBC Center, Lobby Buffalo, New York 14203

Debtor:

LR Rail Services, LLC 2730 Transit Road

Buffalo, New York 14224

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A description of the railroad equipment covered by the enclosed document is:

17 gondola cars within the series REGX 6800 - REGX 6823 as more particularly set forth in the equipment schedule attached to the document.

A short summary of the document to appear in the index is:

Memorandum of Security Agreement.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$32.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee.

Kindly return stamped copies of the enclosed document to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

Robert W. Alvord

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SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

MEMORANDUM OF SECURITY AGREEMENT

dated as of December 28, 2004,

by and among

LR RAIL SERVICES, LLC as Debtor

and

HSBC BANK USA, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION as Secured Party

FILED WITH THE SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD PURSUANT TO 49 U.S.C. § 11301 on December __, 2004, at __:__.m.

MEMORANDUM OF SECURITY AGREEMENT

THIS MEMORANDUM OF SECURITY AGREEMENT is made and entered into as of December 28 2004, by and among HSBC BANK USA, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, its successors and assigns ("Secured Party") and LR RAIL SERVICES, LLC, its successors and assigns ("Debtor"), with reference to the following:

1. Secured Party has agreed to make a loan to Debtor, and Debtor has agreed to give Secured Party a security interest in those certain rail cars described on <u>Schedule A</u> attached hereto.

All of such rail cars are more fully described in that certain Security Agreement (Equipment, Consumer Goods, Fixtures) dated as of the date hereof (together with all of the riders, schedules and other attachments thereto, collectively, the "Security Agreement"), by and between Secured Party and Debtor.

2. The Security Agreement shall be effective as of the date hereof and shall be subject to the terms specified in the Security Agreement.

This Memorandum of Security Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each executed counterpart constituting an original but all together only one Memorandum of Security Agreement.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Memorandum of Security Agreement to be duly executed as of the date first above written.

HSBC BANK USA, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

By: *J J W.K* Mark F Zeis

First Vice President

LR RAIL SERVICES, LLC

By: TRWS Management, LLC, as Manager

By: Veffrey P. Lebrhach

Chief Financial Officer

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STATE OF NEW YORK))SS.:
COUNTY OF ERIE)
a notary public in and for said state, per or proved to me on the basis of satisfact subscribed to the within instrument and	of December in the year 2004, before me, the undersigned, ersonally appeared Mark F. Zeis , personally known to me ctory evidence to be the individual whose name is d acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his he instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of the instrument.
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COUNTY OF ERIE)
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	Notary Public, State of New York Qualified in Eris County My Commission Expires 21/1/2007

SCHEDULE A TO MEMORANDUM OF SECURITY AGREEMENT

DESCRIPTION OF RAILCARS AND REPORTING MARKS

DESCRIPTION	CAR MARK	CAR NOS.
Seventeen new 6,800 gondola rail cars constructed by Ebenezer Rail Car Services	REGX	6800, 6801, 6802, 6803, 6804, 6805, 6806, 6807, 6808, 6809, 6811, 6812, 6814, 6815, 6820, 6821 and 6823